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**UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL (37 C.F.R. §1.53(b))**

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Sir: This is a request for filing a patent application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53 (b) in the name of inventors: ANTHONY C. SPEARMAN and ANDREW E. TOMPKINS

For: **WIRELESS PROVISIONING DEVICE**

**Application Elements:**

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <u>31</u> | Pages of Specification, Claims and Abstract      |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <u>03</u> | Sheets of Informal Drawings                      |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <u>03</u> | Pages Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney |

**Accompanying Application Parts:**

- ☒ Assignment and Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet (recording fee of \$40.00 enclosed)  
☐ 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) Statement by Assignee  
☒ Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449  
☒ Copies of IDS Citations  
☐ Preliminary Amendment  
☒ Return Receipt Postcard  
☒ Small Entity Statement(s)  
☐ Other:

Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. §1.16)

	(Col. 1) NO. FILED		(Col. 2) NO. EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY RATE FEE	OR	LARGE ENTITY RATE FEE
BASIC FEE				\$345 = \$ 345	OR	\$690 = \$
TOTAL CLAIMS	23	-20=	3	X09 = \$ 27	OR	\$18 = \$
INDEP CLAIMS	02	-03=	0	X39 = \$	OR	\$78 = \$
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent Claim Presented				\$130 = \$	OR	\$260 = \$
			TOTAL	372.00	OR	


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## Complete If Known

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Filing Date September 13, 2000  
First Named Inventor Anthony C. Spearman  
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### FEE CALCULATION

#### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Fee Code	Large Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	690	201	345	Utility filing fee	345
106	310	206	155	Design filing fee	
107	480	207	240	Plant filing fee	
108	690	208	345	Reissue filing fee	
114	150	214	75	Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)					345

#### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	23	-20**	3	X	9.00	=	27
Independent Claims	2	-3**	0	X	27.00	=	0
Multiple Dependent						=	0

\*\*or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see below

Large Entity Fee Code	Large Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	78	202	39	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	260	204	130	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	78	209	39	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)

27

### FEE CALCULATION (continued)

#### 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Fee Code	Large Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description
105	50	205	65	Surcharge -late filing fee or oath
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month
116	380	216	190	Extension for reply within second month
117	870	217	435	Extension for reply within third month
118	1,360	218	680	Extension for reply within fourth month
128	1,850	228	925	Extension for reply within fifth month
119	300	219	150	Notice of Appeal
120	300	220	150	Filing a brief in support of an appeal
121	260	221	130	Request for oral hearing
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable
141	1,210	241	605	Petition to revive - unintentional
142	1,210	242	605	Utility issue fee (or reissue)
143	430	243	215	Design issue fee
144	580	244	290	Plant issue fee
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner
123	50	123	50	Petitions related to provisional applications
126	240	126	240	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)
146	690	246	345	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))
149	690	249	345	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))

Other fee (specify)

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SUBTOTAL (3) (\$)

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